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YF AA	2,514,745	7/11/50	Dalzell	171	95	
YF AB	3,593,099	7/13/71	Scholl	320	13	
YF AC	3,607,673	9/21/71	Seyl	204	1	
YF AD	3,676,770	7/11/72	Sharaf et al.	324	29.5	
YF AE	3,729,989	5/1/73	Little	73	133	
YF AF	3,753,094	8/14/73	Furuishi et al.	324	29.5	
YF AG	3,808,522	4/30/74	Sharaf	324	29.5	
YF AH	3,811,089	5/14/74	Strezelewicz	324	170	
YF AI	3,873,911	3/25/75	Champlin	324	29.5	
YF AJ	3,886,443	5/27/75	Miyakawa et al.	324	29.5	
YF AK	3,889,248	6/10/75	Ritter	340	249	
YF AL	3,906,329	9/16/75	Bader	320	44	

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YF	AO	59-17894	1/30/84	Japan			Abstract Only


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YF	AP	"Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy in Battery Development and Testing", <u>Batteries International</u> , April 1997, pgs. 59 and 62-63.					
YF	AQ	"Battery Impedance", by E. Willihnganz et al., <u>Electrical Engineering</u> , September 1959, pgs. 922-925.					
YF	AR	"Determining The End of Battery Life", by S. DeBardelaben, <u>IEEE</u> , 1986, pgs. 365-368.					
YF	AS	"A Look at the Impedance of a Cell", by S. Debardelaben, <u>IEEE</u> , 1988, pgs. 394-397.					

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YF	AU	3,936,744	2/3/76	Perlmutter	324	158
YF	AV	3,946,299	3/23/76	Christianson et al.	320	43
YF	AW	3,947,757	3/30/76	Grube et al.	324	28
YF	AX	3,969,667	7/13/76	McWilliams	324	29.5
YF	AY	3,979,664	9/7/76	Harris	324	17
YF	AZ	3,984,762	10/5/76	Dowgiallo, Jr.	324	29.5
YF	BA	3,984,768	10/5/76	Staples	324	62
YF	BB	4,008,619	2/22/77	Alcaide et al.	73	398
YF	BC	4,053,824	10/11/77	Dupuis et al.	324	29.5
YF	BD	4,070,624	1/24/78	Taylor	327	158
YF	BE	4,086,531	4/25/78	Bernier	324	158

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YF	BF	60225078	11/9/85	Japan			Abstract Only
YF	BG	04372536	12/25/92	Japan			Abstract Only
YF	BH	04131779	5/6/92	Japan			Abstract Only

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YF	BI	"The Impedance of Electrical Storage Cells", by N.A. Hampson et al., <u>Journal of Applied Electrochemistry</u> , 1980, pgs. 3-11.
YF	BJ	"A Package for Impedance/Admittance Data Analysis", by B. Boukamp, <u>Solid State Ionics</u> , 1986, pgs. 136-140.
YF	BK	"Precision of Impedance Spectroscopy Estimates of Bulk, Reaction Rate, and Diffusion Parameters", by J. Macdonald et al., <u>J. Electroanal. Chem.</u> , 1991, pgs. 1-11.

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YF BL	4,112,351	9/5/78	Back et al.	324	16	
YF BM	4,114,083	9/12/78	Benham et al.	320	39	
YF BN	4,126,874	11/21/78	Suzuki et al.	354	60	
YF BO	4,178,546	12/11/79	Hulls et al.	324	158	
YF BP	4,193,025	3/11/80	Frailing et al.	324	427	
YF BQ	4,207,611	6/10/80	Gordon	364	580	
YF BR	4,315,204	2/9/82	Sievers et al.	322	28	
YF BS	4,316,185	2/16/82	Watrous et al.	340	636	
YF BT	4,322,685	3/30/82	Frailing et al.	324	429	
YF BU	4,363,407	12/14/82	Barkler et al.	209	3.3	
YF BV	4,369,407	1/18/83	Korbell	324	416	
YF BW	4,412,169	10/25/83	Dell'Orto	320	64	

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YF	BX	03282276	12/12/91	Japan			Abstract Only
YF	BY	03274479	12/5/91	Japan			Abstract Only
YF	BZ	5216550	8/27/93	Japan			Abstract Only
YF	CA	59017894	1/30/84	Japan			Abstract Only

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YF	CB	"Internal Resistance: Harbinger of Capacity Loss in Starved Electrolyte Sealed Lead Acid Batteries, by Vaccaro, F.J. et al., <u>AT&T Bell Laboratories</u> , 1987 IEEE, Ch. 2477, pp. 128,131.
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YF	CC	4,390,828	6/28/83	Converse et al.	320	32
YF	CD	4,392,101	7/5/83	Saar et al.	320	20
YF	CE	4,396,880	8/2/83	Windebank	320	21
YF	CF	4,408,157	10/4/83	Beaubien	324	62
YF	CG	4,423,378	12/27/83	Marino et al.	324	427
YF	CH	4,423,379	12/27/83	Jacobs et al.	324	429
YF	CI	4,424,491	1/3/84	Bobbett et al.	324	433
YF	CJ	4,459,548	7/10/84	Lentz et al.	324	158
YF	CK	4,514,694	4/30/85	Finger	324	429
YF	CL	4,520,353	5/28/85	McAuliffe	340	636
YF	CM	4,667,279	5/19/87	Maier	363	46
YF	CN	4,678,998	7/7/87	Muramatsu	324	427
YF	CO	4,679,000	7/7/87	Clark	324	428
YF	CP	4,697,134	9/29/87	Burkum et al.	320	48

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YF	CQ	EP 0 772 056 A1	5/7/97	EPO			X
YF	CR	EP 0 637 754 A1	2/8/95	EPO			X
YF	CS	2 088 159 A	6/3/82	Great Britain			X

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YF	CT	IEEE Recommended Practice For Maintenance, Testings, and Replacement of Large Lead Storage Batteries for Generating Stations and Substations, The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc., ANSI/IEEE Std. 450-1987, 3/9/1987, pp. 7-15.
YF	CU	"Field and Laboratory Studies to Assess the State of Health of Valve-Regulated Lead Acid Batteries: Part I Conductance/Capacity Correlation Studies", by D. Feder et al., IEEE, Aug. 1992, pgs. 218-233.

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YF	CV	4,707,795	11/17/87	Alber et al.	364	550
YF	CW	4,709,202	11/24/87	Koenck et al.	320	43
YF	CX	4,710,861	12/1/87	Kanner	363	46
YF	CY	4,719,428	1/12/88	Liebermann	324	436
YF	CZ	4,743,855	5/10/88	Randin et al.	324	430
YF	DA	4,816,768	3/28/89	Champlin	324	428
YF	DB	4,820,966	4/11/89	Fridman	320	32
YF	DC	4,825,170	4/25/89	Champlin	324	436
YF	DD	4,849,700	7/18/89	Morioka et al.	324	427
YF	DE	4,881,038	11/14/89	Champlin	324	426
YF	DF	4,912,416	3/27/90	Champlin	324	430
YF	DG	4,929,931	5/29/90	McCuen	340	636
YF	DH	4,931,738	6/5/90	MacIntyre et al.	324	435
YF	DI	4,947,124	8/7/90	Hauser	324	430
YF	DJ	4,956,597	9/11/90	Heavey et al.	320	14
YF	DK	4,968,941	11/6/90	Rogers	324	428

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YF	DL	WO 93/22666	11/11/93	WIPO			X
YF	DM	WO 98/58270	12/23/98	WIPO			X

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YF	DN	"Battery Impedance", by E. Willihnganz et al., <u>Electrical Engineering</u> , September 1959, pgs. 922-925.
YF	DO	"JIS Japanese Industrial Standard-Lead Acid Batteries for Automobiles", <u>Japanese Standards Association UDC</u> , 621.355.2:629.113.006, Nov. 1995.

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YF DP	5,004,979	4/2/91	Marino et al.	324	160	
YF DQ	5,032,825	7/16/91	Xuznicki	340	636	
YF DR	5,047,722	9/10/91	Wurst et al.	324	430	
YF DS	5,087,881	2/11/92	Peacock	324	378	
YF DT	5,126,675	6/30/92	Yang	324	435	
YF DU	5,140,269	8/18/92	Champlin	324	433	
YF DV	5,144,248	9/1/92	Alexandres et al.	324	428	
YF DW	5,170,124	12/8/92	Blair et al.	324	434	
YF DX	5,204,611	4/20/93	Nor et al.	320	21	
YF DY	5,214,370	5/25/93	Harm et al.	320	35	
YF DZ	5,214,385	5/25/93	Gabriel et al.	324	434	
YF EA	5,241,275	8/31/93	Fang	324	430	
YF EB	5,254,952	10/19/93	Salley et al.	324	429	
YF EC	5,281,919	1/25/94	Palanisamy	324	427	
YF ED	5,281,920	1/25/94	Wurst	324	430	
YF EE	5,295,078	3/15/94	Stich et al.	364	483	
YF EF	5,298,797	3/29/94	Redl	307	246	
YF EG	5,300,874	4/5/94	Shimamoto et al.	320	15	
YF EH	5,302,902	4/12/94	Groehl	324	434	

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YF EK	5,331,268	7/19/94	Patino et al.	320	20	
YF EL	5,336,993	8/9/94	Thomas et al.	324	158.1	
YF EM	5,352,968	10/4/94	Reni et al.	320	35	
YF EN	5,343,380	8/30/94	Champlin	363	46	
YF EO	5,365,160	11/15/94	Leppo et al.	320	22	
YF EP	5,365,453	11/15/94	Startup et al.	364	481	
YF EQ	5,381,096	1/10/95	Hirzel	324	427	
YF ER	5,426,371	6/20/95	Salley et al.	324	429	
YF ES	5,432,426	7/11/95	Yoshida	320	20	
YF ET	5,434,495	7/18/95	Toko	320	44	
YF EU	5,442,274	8/15/95	Tamai	320	23	
YF EV	5,457,377	10/10/95	Jonsson	320	5	
YF EW	5,449,996	9/12/95	Matsumoto et al.	320	20	
YF EX	5,449,997	9/12/95	Gilmore et al.	320	39	
YF EY	5,485,090	1/16/96	Stephens	324	433	
YF EZ	5,519,383	5/21/96	De La Rosa	340	636	
YF FA	5,528,148	6/18/96	Rogers	324	426	
YF FB	5,550,485	8/27/96	Falk	324	772	
YF FC	5,561,380	10/1/96	Sway-Tin et al.	324	509	

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YF	FF	5,562,501	10/8/96	Kinoshita et al.	439	852
YF	FG	5,572,136	11/5/96	Champlin	324	426
YF	FH	5,574,355	11/12/96	McShane et al.	320	39
YF	FI	5,585,728	12/17/96	Champlin	324	427
YF	FJ	5,592,093	1/7/97	Klingbiel	324	426
YF	FK	5,596,260	1/21/97	Moravec et al.	320	30
YF	FL	5,598,098	1/28/97	Champlin	324	430
YF	FM	5,602,462	2/11/97	Stich et al.	323	258
YF	FN	5,606,242	2/25/97	Hull et al.	320	48
YF	FO	5,621,298	4/15/97	Harvey	320	5
YF	FP	5,642,031	6/24/97	Brotto	320	21
YF	FQ	5,650,937	7/22/97	Bounaga	364	483
YF	FR	5,652,501	7/29/97	McClure et al.	320	17
YF	FS	5,675,234	10/7/97	Greene	320	15
YF	FT	5,677,077	10/14/97	Faulk	429	90
YF	FU	5,699,050	12/16/97	Kanazawa	340	636
YF	FV	5,701,089	12/23/97	Perkins	327	772
YF	FW	5,717,336	2/10/98	Basell et al.	324	430
YF	FX	5,757,192	5/26/98	McShane et al.	324	427

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YF	GB	5,789,899	8/4/98	van Phuoc et al.	320	30
YF	GC	5,793,359	8/11/98	Ushikubo	345	169
YF	GD	5,821,756	10/13/98	McShane et al.	324	430
YF	GE	5,831,435	11/3/98	Troy	324	426
YF	GF	5,872,443	2/16/99	Williamson	320	21
YF	GG	5,914,605	6/22/99	Bertness	324	430
YF	GH	5,945,829	8/31/99	Bertness	324	430
YF	GI	3,356,936	12/5/67	Smith	324	29.5
YF	GJ	5,488,300	1/30/96	Jamieson	324	432
YF	GK	6,002,238	12/14/99	Champlin	320	134
YF	GL	6,037,777	3/14/00	Champlin	324	430
YF	GM	6,051,976	4/18/00	Bertness	324	426
YF	GN	6,081,098	6/27/00	Bertness et al.	320	134
YF	GO	6,091,245	7/18/00	Bertness	324	426
YF	GP	6,104,167	8/15/00	Bertness et al.	320	132
YF	GQ	6,137,269	10/24/00	Champlin	320	150

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YF	GS	0 022 450 A1	1/21/81	EPO			X

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YF	GT	"Performance of Dry Cells", by C. Hambuechen, Preprint of Am. Electrochem. Soc., April 18-20, 1912, paper No. 19, pgs. 1-5.
YF	GU	"A Bridge for Measuring Storage Battery Resistance", by E. Willihncauz, The Electrochemical Society, preprint 79-20, April 1941, pgs. 253-258.

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YF	GY	5,315,287	5/24/94	Sol	340	455
YF	GZ	5,469,043	11/21/95	Cherng et al.	320	31
YF	HA	5,546,317	8/13/96	Andrieu	364	481
YF	HB	5,583,416	12/10/96	Klang	320	22
YF	HC	5,589,757	12/31/96	Klang	320	22
YF	HD	5,656,920	8/12/97	Cherng et al.	320	31
YF	HE	5,710,503	1/20/98	Sideris et al.	320	6
YF	HF	5,760,587	6/2/98	Harvey	324	434
YF	HG	5,808,469	9/15/98	Kopera	324	43.4
YF	HH	6,008,652	12/28/99	Theofanopoulos et al.	324	434
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YF	HJ	6,031,354	2/29/00	Wiley et al.	320	116
YF	HK	6,037,751	3/14/00	Klang	320	160
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YF	HM	6,094,033	7/25/00	Ding et al.	320	132
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YF	HO	6,172,483	1/9/01	Champlin	320	134
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YF	HR	59215674	12/5/84	Japan			Abstract Only

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YF	HV	4,876,495	10/24/89	Palanisamy et al.	320	18
YF	HW	4,937,528	6/26/90	Palanisamy	324	430
YF	HX	4,968,942	11/6/90	Palanisamy	324	430
YF	HY	5,179,335	1/12/93	Nor	320	21
YF	HZ	5,266,880	11/30/93	Newland	320	14
YF	IA	5,451,881	9/19/95	Finger	324	433
YF	IB	5,705,929	1/6/98	Caravello et al.	324	430
YF	IC	5,717,937	2/10/98	Fritz	395	750.01
YF	ID	5,862,515	1/19/99	Kobayashi et al.	702	63
YF	IE	5,895,440	4/20/99	Proctor et al.	702	63
YF	IF	5,929,609	7/27/99	Joy et al.	322	25
YF	IG	6,072,300	6/6/00	Tsuji	320	116
YF	IH	4,659,977	4/21/87	Kissel et al.	320	64
YF	II	4,913,116	4/3/90	Katogi et al.	123	425
YF	IJ	5,160,881	11/3/92	Schramm et al.	322	7
YF	IK	5,338,515	8/16/94	Dalla Betta et al.	422	95
YF	IL	5,537,967	7/23/96	Tashiro et al.	123	792.1
YF	IM	5,548,273	8/20/96	Nicol et al.	340	439
YF	IN	5,747,909	5/5/98	Syverson et al.	310	156

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YF	IT	3,876,931	4/8/75	Godshalk	324	29.5
YF	IU	5,347,163	9/13/94	Yoshimura	307	66
YF	IV	5,939,861	8/17/99	Joko et al.		
YF	IW	5,339,018	8/16/94	Brokaw	320	35
YF	IX	5,412,323	5/2/95	Kato et al.	324	429
YF	IY	5,426,416	6/20/95	Jefferies et al.	340	664
YF	IZ	5,825,174	10/20/98	Parker	324	106
YF	JA	5,939,855	8/17/99	Proctor et al.	320	104
YF	JB	5,254,952	10/19/93	Salley et al.	324	429
YF	JC	4,217,645	8/12/80	Barry et al.	364	483
YF	JD	4,633,418	12/30/86	Bishop	364	554
YF	JE	5,321,626	6/14/94	Palladino	364	483
YF	JF	5,969,625	10/19/99	Russo	340	636
YF	JG	6,222,369	4/24/01	Champlin	324	430
YF	JH	6,225,808	5/1/01	Varghese et al.	324	426
YF	JI	6,249,124	6/19/01	Bertness	324	426
YF	JJ	6,259,254	7/10/01	Klang	324	427
YF	JK	6,262,563	7/17/01	Champlin	320	134
YF	JL	6,294,896	9/25/01	Champlin	320	134
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YF	JQ	4,680,528	7/14/87	Mikami et al.	320	32
YF	JR	5,633,985	5/27/97	Severson et al.	395	2.76
YF	JS	5,739,667	4/14/98	Matsuda et al.	320	5
YF	JT	4,024,953	5/1977	Nailor, III	206	344
YF	JU	6,250,973	6/2001	Lowery et al.	439	763
YF	JV	6,254,438	7/2001	Gaunt	439	755
YF	JW	6,304,087	10/16/01	Bertness	324	426
YF	JX	6,310,481	10/30/01	Bertess	324	430
YF	JY	6,313,607	11/6/01	Champlin	320	132
YF	JZ	6,313,608	11/6/01	Varghese et al.	32	132
YF	KA	6,316,914	11/13/01	Bertness	320	134
YF	KB	5,435,185	7/25/95	Eagan	73	587
YF	KC	5,445,026	8/29/95	Eagan	73	591
YF	KD	4,667,143	5/19/87	Cooper et al.	320	22
YF	KE	4,847,547	7/11/89	Eng, Jr. et al.	320	35
YF	KF	5,574,355	11/12/96	McShane et al.	320	39
YF	KG	4,663,580	5/5/87	Wortman	320	35

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YF	KH	WO 99/23738	5/14/99	WIPO			X
YF	KI	WO 94/05069	3/3/94	PCT			X

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YF	KJ	National Semiconductor Corporation, "High Q Notch Filter", 3/69, Linear Brief 5, March 1969.
YF	KK	Burr-Brown Corporation, "Design A 60 Hz Notch Filter with the UAF42", 1/94, AB-071, 1994.
YF	KL	National Semiconductor Corporation, "LMF90-4 th -Order Elliptic Notch Filter", 12/94, RRD-B30M115, December 1994.

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YF KN	6,329,793	12/11/01	Bertness et al.	320	132	
YF KO	6,331,762	12/18/01	Bertness	320	134	
YF KP	6,332,113	12/18/01	Bertness	702	63	
YF KQ	4,297,639	10/27/81	Branham	324	429	
YF KR	5,653,659	8/5/97	Kunibe et al.	477	111	
YF KS	6,161,640	12/19/00	Yamaguchi	180	65.8	
YF KT	4,351,405	6/28/82	Fields et al.	180	65	
YF KU	6,359,441	3/16/02	Bertness	324	426	
YF KV	4,047,091	9/1997	Hutchines et al.	363	59	
YF KW	5,653,659	8/1997	Kunibe et al.	477	111	
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YF KY	5,095,223	3/1992	Thomas	307	110	
YF KZ	5,194,799	3/1993	Tomantschger	320	2	
YF LA	5,754,417	5/1998	Nicollini	363	60	
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YF	LE	"Alligator Clips with Wire Penetrators" J.S. Popper, Inc. product information, downloaded from http://www.jspopper.com/ , undated
YF	LF	"#12: LM78S40 Simple Switcher DC to DC Converter", ITM e-Catalog, downloaded from http://www.pcbcafe.com , undated
YF	LG	"Simple DC-DC Converts Allows Use of Single Battery", Electronix Express, downloaded from http://www.eleexp.com/t_dc-dc.htm , undated

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YF	LJ	6,181,545	1/2001	Amatucci et al.	361	502
YF	LK	6,346,795	2/2002	Haraguchi et al.	320	136
YF	LM	6,347,958	2/2002	Tsai	439	488
YF	LN	6,351,102	2/26/02	Troy	320	139
YF	LO	6,359,441	3/19/02	Bertness	324	426
YF	LP	6,363,303	3/26/02	Bertness	701	29
YF	LQ	5,037,778	8/6/91	Stark et al.	437	216
YF	LR	6,144,185	11/7/00	Dougherty et al.	320	132
YF	LS	5,711,648	1/27/98	Hammerslag	414	786
YF	LT	5,927,938	7/27/99	Hammerslag	414	809
YF	LU	5,951,229	9/14/99	Hammerslag	414	398
YF	LV	5,961,561	10/5/99	Wakefield, II	701	29
YF	LW	5,961,604	10/5/99	Anderson et al.	709	229
YF	LX	6,236,332	5/22/01	Conkright et al.	340	825.06
YF	LY	6,351,102	2/26/02	Troy	320	139
YF	LZ	5,821,757	10/13/98	Alvarez et al.	324	434
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YF MG	6,392,414	5/21/02	Bertness	324	429	
YF MH	6,417,669	7/9/02	Champlin	324	426	
YF MI	6,424,158	7/23/02	Klang	324	433	
YF MJ	6,441,585	8/17/02	Bertness	320	132	
YF MK	6,445,158	9/3/02	Bertness et al.	320	104	
YF ML	6,384,608	5/7/02	Namaky	324	425	
YF MM	6,388,448	5/14/02	Cervas	324	426	
YF MN	6,307,349	10/23/01	Koenck et al.	320	112	
YF MO	6,411,098	6/25/02	Laletin	324	436	
YF MP	6,456,045	9/24/02	Troy et al.	320	139	
YF MQ	6,466,025	10/15/02	Klang	324	429	
YF MR	6,466,026	10/15/02	Champlin	324	430	
YF MS	4,564,798	1/14/86	Young	320	6	
YF MT	5,563,496	10/8/96	McClure	320	48	
YF MU	5,796,239	8/18/98	van Phuoc et al.	320	107	

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YF	NC	4,385,269	5/24/83	Aspinwall et al.	320	14
YF	ND	4,686,442	8/11/87	Radomski	320	17
YF	NE	6,061,638	5/9/00	Joyce	702	63
YF	NF	6,359,442	3/19/02	Henningson et al.	324	426
YF	NG	5,541,489	7/30/96	Dunstan	320	2
YF	NH	6,424,157	7/23/02	Gollomp et al.	324	430
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YF	NK	6,556,019	4/29/03	Bertness	324	426
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YF	OC	6,055,468	4/2000	Kaman et al.	701	29
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YF	OE	5,313,152	5/1994	Wozniak et al.	320	118
YF	OF	2003/0184306	10/2003	Bertness et al.	324	426
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YF	OH	3,750,011	7/1973	Kreps	324	29.5
YF	OI	5,159,272	10/1992	Rao et al.	324	429
YF	OJ	5,325,041	6/1994	Briggs	320	44
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YF	OC	5,412,308	5/2/95	Brown	323	267
YF	OD	6,222,342	4/24/01	Eggert et al.	320	105
YF	OE	6,679,212	1/20/04	Kelling	123	179.28
YF	OF	5,850,113	12/15/98	Weimer et al.	307	125
YF	OG	6,242,887	6/5/01	Burke	320	104
YF	OH	6,238,253	5/29/01	Qualls	439	759
YF	OI	4,056,764	11/1/77	Endo et al.	320	3
YF	OJ	6,005,759	12/21/99	Hart et al.	361	66
YF	OK	6,064,372	5/16/00	Kahkoska	345	173
YF	OL	5,323,337	6/21/94	Wilson et al.	364	574
YF	OM	5,978,805	11/2/99	Carson	707	10
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YF	OD	5,772,468	6/30/98	Kowalski et al.	439	506
YF	OE	5,108,320	4/28/92	Kimber	439	883
YF	OF	5,453,027	9/26/95	Buell et al.	439	433
YF	OG	5,865,638	2/2/99	Trafton	439	288
YF	OH	3,796,124	3/12/74	Crosa	85	36
YF	OI	4,280,457	7/28/81	Bloxham	123	198
YF	OJ	4,160,916	7/10/79	Papasideris	307	10
YF	OK	6,356,042	3/12/02	Kahlon et al.	318	138
YF	OL	6,259,170	7/10/01	Limoge et al.	307	10.8
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